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In re Application of  
 Toshihiro TSUMURA  
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For: MULTI-CHANNEL OPTICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM THAT CONTROLS OPTICAL REFLECTION FOR EACH CHANNEL AND OPTICAL TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING APPARATUS THEREFOR

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 Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required.  
 Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
 Also attached:

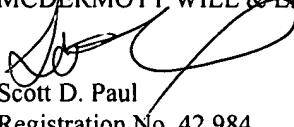
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	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	19	20	0	\$9.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	\$44.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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